

## THE POTOSI JOURNAL

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## Railroad Time Card.

## JOHN BRADSHAW

## GOING SOUTH.

| STATIONS      | 6:40 | 6:55 | 7:10 | 7:25 |
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| Potosi        | 6:40 | 6:55 | 7:10 | 7:25 |
| Mineral Point | 6:50 | 7:05 | 7:20 | 7:35 |
| St. Louis     | 7:00 | 7:15 | 7:30 | 7:45 |

## GOING NORTH.

| STATIONS      | 8:45 | 9:00 | 9:15 | 9:30 |
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| Mineral Point | 8:55 | 9:10 | 9:25 | 9:40 |
| St. Louis     | 9:05 | 9:20 | 9:35 | 9:50 |

Train 819 has no northbound connection.

## MAIN LINE.

## NORTH.

Day Mineral Point.  
 No. 1—6:15 a.m.  
 No. 2—5:30 p.m.

## SOUTH.

Day Mineral Point.  
 No. 3—7:30 a.m.  
 No. 4—6:45 p.m.

## J. M. SLOAN, DENTIST.

AT POTOSI from the 1st to the 3rd of each month.  
 AT MINERAL POINT from the 23d to the 25th.

## M. E. RHODES.

## Attorney at Law.

POTOSI, MO.  
 Will practice in all the courts of the State. Collections collected.

## "SWAT RABBIT," NEW SLOGAN

They're Vermin, Not Game, English Timber Owners Are Now Saying.

To encourage the growing of more timber in England by organizing all resources of labor, a committee has been appointed by the government under the chairmanship of Francis Acland, the London Chronicle states. Lord Selborne, minister for agriculture, drew attention to this step at an exhibition of English timber organized by the English Forestry association at the Surveyors' institution, Westminster.

He said that the committee was appealing to land owners and land agents to let them see their woods and make proposals for the purchase of timber. The committee appealed to the owners to give what help they possibly could in the felling, conversion and hauling of the timber. If an English landowner would consider that rabbits are not game but vermin, as they certainly are, and go in for the cultivation of timber, it would be to his great benefit, the committee said.

The war has created a big demand for timber, boards and scantling, especially the kind used in the erection of huts. During the last twelve months more pit wood has found its way to the English coal field than has been the case for the last twenty years. Some of the men present said that while they would do all that was possible to give aid to the government in this direction, they were disinclined to feather the nests of the timber dealers.

## ANXIOUS ABOUT HIS HEALTH

Guest at St. Louis Hotel, Not Satisfied, Made a Somewhat Humorous Request.

Prof. Thompson, night clerk at the Laclede hotel, St. Louis, is asking his friends to believe this one: "About eight o'clock the other night, Thompson says, 'a tall, rangy rascal entered the lobby of the hotel and approached the desk. After I had fixed him up with a room he asked me if I would take care of some money for him. I told him I would be glad to put it in the safe. He fished down in his trousers pocket and produced a \$2 bill."

"Just put that away," he said, "I am going out for a little while and I don't want to take any chances with these city slickers."

"I kept my face straight and assured him it would be safe on his return. He started to leave and then turned around and asked me how late we kept open."

"Oh, I'll be here when you get back," I told him.

"Well, I don't know," he replied, "I calculate I'll be pretty late. Most ten o'clock, likely."

"I assured him I would be on deck, but he did not seem satisfied. After pondering a few moments he asked: "Can I see Mr. Laclede?"

"That had me going for a few minutes, but when I recovered I told him Mr. Laclede had gone to bed."

Pierre Laclede, the founder of St. Louis, for whom the hotel was named, died in 1778.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him to be a man of high character and integrity, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. It is sold by all druggists. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by mail. Send for sample.

## LOCAL ITEMS

And now it is May.

Probate Court next week.

County Court is in session.

Still one or two vacant houses in Potosi.

The festive strawberry will be along soon now.

Miss Lola Simpson is visiting in St. Louis.

A good deal of gasoline was burned up Sunday.

Eyes tested, frames fitted, spectacles repaired, at Woolford's.

Mr. W. M. Prater of Poplar Bluff was in our town Thursday.

Mrs. J. M. Simpson spent several days in St. Louis last week.

No May Queen business here Monday, weather too rainy and cold.

Early homegrown garden sars are beginning to make its appearance.

Magazines on sale at Woolford's. Subscriptions for all magazines taken.

Young Men, for the latest in haberdashery, call at Maxwell's Dry Goods Store.

Whoever gets on the Republican county ticket this year gets the job, lie a cinch.

The outlook for a big fruit crop this year is fine, only a heavy freeze can prevent its fulfillment.

John Geier has sold his farm, 20 acres, lying a few miles west of Potosi, to James J. Vance for \$1400.

When in Potosi shopping, call at Woolford's Variety Store and see the many bargains on display.

Even the after-Easter season failed to produce that wedding. Cupid surely has the sulks around here.

Remember, Woolford keeps a QUALITY Jewelry store. High-grade Watches and Jewelry of all kinds.

R. R. Bean of Caledonia has received a carload of angora goats from Texas for his farm near Caledonia.

The \$200,000 road bond proposition voted on in Wayne County last Saturday was carried by a large majority.

The growing wheat, which has been very unpromising, is reported improving. Meadows are coming out strong.

School Girls, Attention! You can find all the newest fabrics for Spring dresses at Maxwell's Dry Goods Store.

It is said that with a little more of a miner can make as much as a seven or eight dollar a week if he has good luck.

For those who cannot raise the price of a Ford car, Ford shoes have been put on the market. The shoes for our.

Mothers Day should be observed in each Sunday School in this county on May 14th. Norman A. Maxwell, Co. Pres.

Mr. W. H. Higginbotham of Latt was a caller at this office Thursday last to enroll as a regular reader of the Journal.

Miss Winifred Kendall left for St. Louis Monday to accept a clerical position in the Missouri Pacific W. Y. offices.

The class graduating from the Potosi High School this year is composed of Wilson Bell, John Evans, Omar Cresswell and Miss Winifred Kendall.

John Fitzwater, a drill man employed by the St. Joseph Lead Co. in the Mines at Leadwood, was killed by a delayed blast explosion on the 12th of April.

P. E. Rhodes, former editor of the Farmington Times, has bought a restaurant at Fredericktown. We see the wisdom of such a change for a country editor.

Mr. J. H. Swift will have the one-story ell of his residence raised another story, which will include a bath room. The whole building will be repainted.

A number of our young folks piled into a hay wagon last Saturday night and took a ride out to the home of Mr. "Bud" Nicholson, on Miller's Branch, where they were received with glad acclaim.

Mr. E. D. Boyer of Barytes was in Potosi Saturday and filed for record a warranty deed to a 74-acre farm in that neighborhood, which he has just bought from Lewis J. Crouch for \$2,000.

Lamar O'Hara, aged 27, a farmer living in Jefferson County, near Frummet, accidentally shot and killed himself with a small rifle while shooting at rats in his barn, on April 21st. The bullet entered his forehead.

Farmington has just bought an improved street car and two car loads of oil and will put down the street car during the summer. We ought to be doing something along that line in Potosi. The dust that the breeze of last Sunday kicked up was far from pleasant.

An effort is being made by the State Road Association to get a highway bridge over the Meramec River near the confluence of that stream with the Mississippi. The object of the movement is to secure a direct highway route from St. Louis to southeast Missouri.

## Eastman Kodak and supplies, at Woolford's.

We call attention to the announcement of Capt. Wm. H. Evans of Hope as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Representative. Capt. Evans is the present incumbent of the office, and his announcement will meet the favor of his large circle of friends in this county, many of whom have been urging him to come out for re-election.

William Kelsey, charged with intent to kill, and Charles Proulx, charged with burglary and larceny, escaped from the county jail at Hillsboro one day recently. It seems to be the accepted thing that when prisoners get tired of the confinement of that jail they simply make their getaway. Jail escapes are so common there that they have lost their news value to the Hillsboro papers.

In Howell and Dent Counties injunctions have been granted restraining the express companies from delivering shipments of liquor to habitual drunkards, bootleggers and parties who have been convicted of the illegal sale of liquors. In Dent County, the names of certain parties were specified. This seems to be an excellent way of striking the key-note and is recommended for like action in Texas County. —Houston Herald.

Books, Books, Books of all kinds, at Woolford's Variety Store.

## Woman Killed in Auto Accident.

Mrs. Rosa Acuff of Ste. Genevieve, was instantly killed when the automobile driven by her husband turned over on the road between Leadwood and Farmington last Sunday. Acuff was driving at the speed of 40 miles an hour, down hill, and in turning a curve in the road the car turned over. Mrs. Acuff's head was almost severed from her body. Acuff had a leg broken and their fifteen year old daughter received a bad gash on her head. A smaller girl was thrown from the car and bruised.

Automobile Tires and other auto supplies, at Woolford's.

## Rouquest-McAviney.

Nelson C. Rouquest of Bliss and Miss Myrtle C. O'Hanlon McAviney of Potosi, were married at the St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, DeSoto, on April 23rd, at 11 o'clock a.m., by Rev. Father P. Byrne. Miss Mary Ward, cousin of the bride, and Morgan Rouquest, brother of the groom, were the attendants.

Following the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served to the bridal party by Mrs. Thos. Ward, aunt of the bride, at her home on 14th and Easton streets.

Those present were—Misses Clara Junzwalder, St. Louis; Alberta Castleberg, DeSoto; Anna Curtis, Potosi; Emma Torrence, Potosi; Mr. and Mrs. John Rouquest and daughters, Gertrude and Helen, of Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Rouquest left the same evening for St. Louis for a short honeymoon. They will make their home at Bliss, Mo.

## Fine Pipe Organ Installed in the Presbyterian Church.

A fine new pipe organ was installed in the Potosi Presbyterian church the latter part of last week, and was used for the first time at the morning service last Sunday.

The instrument was built by George Kilgus & Son of St. Louis and New York, the largest organ building concern in the United States, whose product is known the world over for excellence of both workmanship and sound qualities. It was assembled by two young experts sent from the St. Louis factory for that purpose. The instrument occupies the corner of the choir platform behind the pulpit. The case, the work of which is finished in handsome natural oak and matches the other church furniture, is some 12 or 14 feet square and about 10 feet high. The large show pipes in front are finished in bronze.

The organ has two manuals, with a range of 48 notes, and 30 pedal notes. There are 12 control stops. In the great organ are 133 pipes and the small organ has the same number, while in the pedal organ are 30 pipes, making a total of 296 pipes in the complete instrument. A separate operator is required at the bellows.

The organ cost \$1,000, and was acquired for the church through the enterprise and efforts of Mrs. E. T. Eversole, who is a leader in the musical as well as other work of the church. The germ of her scheme to get this organ for her church was supplied by an item in these columns several years ago, to the effect that our old friend Andy Carnegie was assisting churches to obtain pipe organs as a gift.

In the case, offering it as a hint to our church people. Mrs. Eversole got in communication with Andy on the subject and found that he was willing to give \$500 towards an organ costing not over \$1,000, but put a time limit on his offer. Mrs. Eversole has since striven to get the funds together to take care of her end of the proposition, which, with incidentals items, required \$500. After getting the time limit extended once or twice, she finally managed to come across with only a day or so to spare on the ultimate extension of the time limit.

Mrs. Eversole will preside at the new organ, and being an accomplished musician, with a little practice, will draw from it those divine harmonies that only a pipe organ can produce.

The congregation is to be congratulated that it has obtained this most desirable acquisition to its beautiful church.

## One new announcement this week.

Prof. Loomis and family spent Sunday on their farm at Belgrade.

Stilk Hosiery in all colors, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 at Maxwell's Dry Goods Store.

Mrs. Andrew Link of St. Louis attended the funeral of the late Mrs. G. M. Howell here Tuesday.

Mrs. Clarence McAtee and two children of Colorado are visitors at the home of Mr. Frank Ellis here.

Most of the kickers who complained against the increase in their real estate assessment by the board of equalization were big land owners, the little fellows taking their medicine without howling.

Judge E. T. Eversole returned home from St. Louis last Saturday, where he has been undergoing treatment for several weeks. We are pleased to learn that his health is much improved as a result of the treatment.

## EXPERT PIANO TUNING.

Walter H. Day, the piano, player-piano and organ expert, is in Potosi this week. Leave orders with Miss Maud Smith or at Austin Hotel.

## Caledonia Woman Injured When Auto Strikes Team.

James Hunt and Mrs. Joseph Knox and baby were here Sunday visiting their father, G. F. Hunt, and other relatives. On their way home that evening an automobile driven by young Mr. Kieffer, also of Caledonia, ran into the team. Mr. Kieffer succeeded in stopping the automobile before any damage was done. In trying to hold the team the lines broke, and the team turned around. Mrs. Knox, with the baby in her arms, jumped from the rig and in doing so fell, at the same time dropping the baby. The child rolled into a gully along the roadside and was picked up uninjured. Mrs. Knox had one arm severely bruised. The accident happened near the Sutherland farm. —Bismarck Gazette.

## Potosi Citizen Recovers Long Lost Son.

Some seventeen years ago, says the Lead Belt News, Mrs. John Daily, mother of John Daily of Leadwood, died, leaving John and his three little brothers and their father. The children all being small and their father unable to care for them, sent them to an orphan's home in St. Louis, from which they were scattered to the "four winds."

John found refuge in the home of Zeno Kurlagun of just east of Bonne Terre, where he spent eight or ten years, or until he was married some six months ago, when he and his bride went to housekeeping at Leadwood, where he had obtained employment.

One of his fellow workmen had come from Potosi, and having become acquainted with John, asked what relation he was to Mr. Daily who lived at Potosi. John said he did not know. The fellow workman went on talking, saying that the reason he asked the question was that he spelled his name the same way and the two Dailys resembled each other so much. This put John to thinking and the thought arose in his mind that it might be well to seek this Mr. Daily and ascertain whether he was one of his last family. He drove over to Potosi last Sunday, met the man and found his father. Neither John or his father knew the whereabouts of the other three boys, but earnestly hope they will turn up some day.

The father has married the second time and has six children by this marriage, all girls.

## Hazel Run Man Blows Self to Shreds With Dynamite.

Joseph Perry, a good and prominent citizen living near Hazel Run, about 12 miles north of Farmington, met with a horrible death Tuesday morning by being blown to atoms by the explosion of a 50-pound keg filled with dynamite. Deceased was road overseer of his district and he had gone out that morning with the announced purpose of blowing some stumps from the county road, for which work he had secured the dynamite.

Further details of his death are not known, as no one else was near the scene at the time of the explosion. However, it is supposed that in attempting to open the keg of dynamite it exploded, blowing the body with such force that only parts of the lower limbs and one finger had been recovered at last accounts.

Deceased was about 45 years old, and leaves a wife and several children. He recently sold his farm, intending to buy another in the same locality, but had failed to do so, and it is said that he had also attempted to buy back his old home, in which he also failed. These facts were given as a possible reason for suicide. —Farmington Times.

Other accounts of the tragedy state that Perry had attempted suicide with a shotgun a few days before his death, in which he was frustrated by his wife, who took the gun away from him.

## TIMBER FOR SALE.

All the timber on the n. e. 1/4 of s. e. 1/4 sec. 19, township 37 n., range 1 s., in Washington Co.; some good oak; 675; W. M. Valentin, 2815 Russell Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

All announcements under this heading are made subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election.

For United States Senator THOMAS J. AKINS, of St. Louis.

For Member of Congress Thirtieth Missouri District, MARION E. RHODES, of Potosi.

OTTO W. RAMSEY, of Bismarck.

W. H. SMOLLINGER, of Iron Mountain.

For Representative, WILLIAM H. EVANS, of Hopewell.

JAMES P. VARD, of Irondale.

For County Treasurer, NORMAN F. ROBINSON, of Potosi.

For Prosecuting Attorney, PARKE M. BANTA, of Potosi.

W. A. COOPER, of Potosi.

For County Assessor, J. F. WILLIAMS, of Caledonia.

ANDREW S. BEAN, of Liberty Township.

JOHN N. COMPTON, of Liberty Township.

JOHN W. MALLOW, of Concord Township.

FIRMIN ROBINSON, of Branton township.

For County Judge, First District, W. B. COMPTON, of Potosi.

For County Judge, Second District, S. V. EYE, of Walton Township.

N. W. TADLEY, of Belgrade Township.

For Sheriff, LAWRENCE W. CASEY, of Potosi.

WILLIAM H. JARVIS, of Concord Township.

For County Surveyor, JOHN B. HEAGLER, of Potosi.

R. E. HUTCHINGS, of Harmony Township.

## Presbyterian Church.

Servises on Sunday, May 7th, 1916. Morning, at 11 o'clock,—"God's Book."

Evening, at 7:30,—"Gospel and God."

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Clarence Trout, Irondale, Mo.

Ada Furstee, "

## Former Resident Buried Here.

The remains of Mrs. George M. Howell, who died in St. Louis last Saturday, at the age of 55 years, were brought to Potosi for burial Tuesday noon and interred in the Masonic Cemetery. She is survived by her husband and several grown children.

Mrs. Howell, who was Miss Daddie Fuhr, daughter of the late Mr. Valentine Weber, of this place, by her first husband, is also survived by a brother, Mr. Joseph Fuhr, two half-brothers, George and Andy Weber, of Potosi, and a half-sister, Mrs. Joseph Diemer, of Elvira. She lived in Potosi until some twelve or fifteen years ago, when the family moved to St. Louis.

We extend our sympathy to the family in their bereavement.

## Notice of Special School Election.

In accordance with the provisions of H. B. 810, entitled—"An act to provide free text books to all the public schools of the state," enacted by the Forty-seventh General Assembly of Missouri, notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the Potosi School District (District No. 37), in Washington County, Missouri, that a special school election will be held at the office of the Probate Court, in said district, on Saturday, the 20th day of May, 1916, polls opening at 7 a. m. and closing at 6 p. m., to vote on the following proposition:

To provide free text books for the public school pupils in District No. 37.

Done by order of the School Board, this 21st day of April, 1916.

M. A. CASEY, Secretary.

## "Advertising—The Only Way."

Too many merchants are like the owner of a department store in a little western city. He engaged a new manager, who started out to do a lot of advertising. The owner of the store said: "Son, don't waste our money. Everybody in these parts knows me, and I don't suppose there is a person in this whole community that doesn't buy something in this store in the course of a year."

The new man got busy and in about a month approached the owner of the store and said: "Sir, I've had a couple of young men collecting figures that will interest you. Though you have been in business in this location for years, I have here the names and addresses of hundreds of people, many of them old timers, who claim they never bought a dollar's worth of goods in this store. I have an extended list of persons who say they never even heard of this store. There are two clerks working down stairs, who told me they didn't know the name of the man who owns the business. There are people moving into this community every year, and we're not reaching them. Advertising is the only way we can do it."

**OFFICERS**  
 James Long, President  
 Edmond Casey, Vice-Pres't  
 Jno. F. Evans, Cashier  
 F. J. Flynn, Asst. Cash

**DIRECTORS**  
 E. T. Eversole  
 Hugh McGregor  
 James Long  
 Edmond Casey  
 Jno. F. Evans

**THE**  
**Washington County Bank**  
 ESTABLISHED 1893

With resources of more than  
**FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS**  
 Invites your bank account with the assurance that it is able to handle your banking in a very satisfactory manner.

## IT IS SERIOUS.

Some Potosi People Fail to Realize the Seriousness of Backache.

The constant aching of a bad back.

The weariness, the tired feeling.

The pains and aches of kidney ills.

May result seriously if neglected.

Dangerous urinary troubles often follow.

A Potosi citizen shows you what to do.

Eugene Hays, Potosi, says: "I had a lame back and pains across my loins. It hurt me to stoop or lift and my back was stiff and lame when I first got up in the morning. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me prompt relief."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for kidney remedy, get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Hayes had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## Notice to Teachers.

The Board of Education of the Potosi School District, Potosi, Mo., will receive applications from teachers to teach in the Potosi public schools for a term of nine months, the ensuing scholastic year, as follows: First, Superintendent and two teachers for the high school, each to hold a State certificate. Second, Five teachers for the grammar school, each to hold a first-grade certificate. Third, One teacher for the colored school.

Applications will be received until Monday, May 8th, 1916, at 7 o'clock p. m.

By order of the Board of Education, Jno. F. Evans, President.